

SECTION 1 – IDENTIFICATION & COMPANY DETAILS

Product Name: **HTF HEPES**
Product Code / Cat #: **2002 / 2002-5**
Product Use: HEPES buffered culture medium for retrieval, holding and washing oocytes in ART procedures.

Importer / Distributor: INVITROCARE INC
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Frederick, MD 21701
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SECTION 2 – HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS / IDENTITY INFORMATION

To the best of our knowledge, according to the OSHA Hazardous Communication Standard 29CFR 1910:1200, this product is not considered hazardous.

PLEASE NOTE: Contact with Liquid Media may irritate the eyes, skin or mucous membranes. In order to limit exposure, exercise caution and wear personal protection equipment when handling this material. Good laboratory and manufacturing procedures are essential for safe use. If exposure occurs, leave area of contamination immediately. Flush product from eyes or skin with water for at least fifteen minutes. If a reaction such as irritation occurs, consult a Poison Control Center or physician immediately.

HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS: This product is formulated with 10 mg/ml gentamicin. TLV not established. Slightly toxic. Possible allergic reaction if ingested or in contact with skin. Could result in skin rash and/or labored breathing.

CHEMICAL NAME: Gentamicin Sulfate Gamma-Irradiated Molecular Biology Reagent

SECTION 3 – COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON THE COMPONENTS

Component	CAS-code
Sodium chloride	7647-14-5
Potassium chloride	7447-40-7
Magnesium sulfate heptahydrate	10034-99-8
Potassium phosphate, mono	7778-77-0
Calcium chloride, dehydrate	10035-04-8
Sodium bicarbonate	144-55-8
HEPES, free acid	7365-45-9
Glucose	50-99-7
Sodium pyruvate	113-24-6
Sodium lactate	312-85-6
Alanyl-glutamine	13115-71-4
EDTA, tetra sodium salt	10378.23-1
Phenol red	34487-61-1
Gentamicin sulfate	1405-41-0

SECTION 4 – FIRST AID MEASURES

INHALATION: Not a likely source of exposure.
INGESTION: Wash out mouth with water. Do NOT induce vomiting. If swallowed, consult a physician.
SKIN: Wash with soap and water after each contact.
EYES: Flush with copious quantities of water. Assure adequate flushing by separating the eyelids with fingers..
If irritation develops, consult a physician.

In case of serious hypersensitivity reaction, rush for immediate medical attention.

SECTION 5 – FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

FIRE HAZARD: Non Flammable
EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Water, Carbon Dioxide or any other media suitable for surrounding fire.
FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

SECTION 6 – ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

PRECAUTIONS IN HANDLING and STORING: Small spills can be flushed down the drain with a large amount of water.
For larger spills, use absorbent material and containerize the collection.

SECTION 7 – PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING & USE

Store in original container at 2-8°C, in a well ventilated place, protected from light.
Keep container closed when not in use. Do not freeze.

SECTION 8 – EXPOSURE CONTROLS – PERSONAL PROTECTION

Avoid any unnecessary contact with skin. Do not mouth pipette. Store in cold room.
Individuals with previous history of allergy (from antibiotics) and/or asthma should avoid potential exposure.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: NIOSH approved mechanical dust/mist cartridge respirator or NIOSH approved single use dust respirator.
VENTILATION: Local exhaust adequate; mechanical recommended.
PROTECTIVE GLOVES: Compatible chemical-resistance gloves.
EYE PROTECTION: Chemical safety goggles.

SECTION 9 – PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State:	Liquid, Pink / Orange
Odor:	Odorless
pH:	7.25 – 7.45
Boiling Point:	100°C
Fire Hazards in presence of various substances:	Non flammable
Explosive Properties:	No risk
Flash Point:	None
Vapor Pressure:	No data available
Density:	No data available
Solubility:	Soluble in water
Vapor Density:	No data available

SECTION 10 – STABILITY & REACTIVITY DATA

STABILITY: Stable

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: None known.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Toxic fumes of Carbon Monoxide, and Carbon Dioxide; Nitrogen Oxides, Sulfur Oxides, when heated to decomposition, or under fire conditions.

SECTION 11 – TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

The toxicological properties of the preparation have not been fully investigated.

The toxicological information for the components is: Non-Toxic

Tested for embryo toxicity using one-cell mouse embryo assay and found to be non-toxic.

SECTION 12 – ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No information available.

SECTION 13 – DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

This material is not regarded as hazardous waste. Mix the material with water for disposal.
Observe all federal, state and local environmental regulations.

SECTION 14 – TRANSPORT INFORMATION

In accordance with ADR, RID, ADN, IMDG, IATA.

UN number: Not regulated for transport.

Classified as non-hazardous for transport.

SECTION 15 – REGULATORY INFORMATION

IRRITANT

Safety Phrases: S24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
S26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water.
S36/37/39 Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.

Risk Phrases: R36/37/38 Irritating to eyes.

Regulations: The Chemicals (Hazard Information & Packaging for Supply) regulations 2002.
1999/45/EC Dangerous Preparations Directive.
91/155/EC Safety Data Sheets Directive.

SECTION 16 – OTHER INFORMATION

Source of key data used to
Compile Safety Data Sheet: Component Supplier Safety Data Sheets

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